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on the transmittal filed on February 4, 2000 for the present application, applicants have paid the required fees for 66 total claims and 2 independent claims. Furthermore, there are no multiple dependent claims in new claims 24-89. Therefore, applicants have not included the fee for multiple dependent claims as indicated on the Notification of Missing Requirements. In light of these amendments, applicants respectfully request entry of the new claims and allowance of the new claims to issue.

No additional fees are believed due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

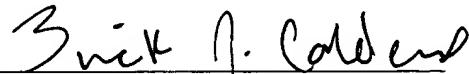


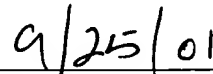
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